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JUDGE GEAR DIED SUNDAY

NEVER REGAINED CONSCIOUSNESS—CEREBRAL MENINGITIS WAS CAUSE OF DEATH.

Judge George D. Gear died at the Queen's Hospital yesterday afternoon at 1:10 o'clock. There were present at his bedside, his wife, his brother A. V. Gear and a number of intimate friends. The sick man never regained consciousness from the time the attack was first observed by his wife early Saturday morning. Cerebral meningitis was the cause of death but it was not until a post mortem examination had been made, that this fact was determined, the illness being diagnosed at various times as ptomaine poisoning and diabetes.

On Friday afternoon Judge Gear did not appear to be very well. He complained at his home, that he had a severe headache. He retired and about 3 o'clock Saturday morning, Mrs. Gear noticed that he seemed to be suffering pain. She tried unsuccessfully, to arouse him and then summoned Dr. Herbert. The physician diagnosed the case as an attack of ptomaine poisoning supposed to have been caused by eating salmon at a restaurant and applied restoratives but the patient did not regain consciousness. Judge Gear continued unconscious and finally, it was decided to remove him to the Queen's Hospital and perform an operation. This was decided upon after consultations by Drs. Herbert, Wayson, Wood, Walters, Judd, Rogers and Osmer.

On Saturday night, the police patrol wagon was sent to the Kaimuki residence of Judge Gear and removed the patient to the hospital. Diabetes was supposed at this time, to be the nature of the sickness. Dr. Wood performed the operation.

The patient did not improve and at 11 o'clock yesterday morning the physicians announced that they had no hope of the patient recovering. Saline injections were given the unconscious man, in the hope that he would regain consciousness but he did not rally to this extent, passing away at 1:10 p. m. A post mortem examination was then held, showing that death had been due to cerebral meningitis caused by an abscess behind the ear, for which Judge Gear had undergone an operation about six weeks before.

Judge Gear was 39 years of age at the time of his death. He was born at Quincy, Plumas county, California, on March 21, 1868. His education was received in the state of Ohio, but he returned to California and studied law in the office of his father, H. L. Gear of San Francisco. In 1892, the younger Gear was admitted to practice by the Supreme Court of California, the examination being taken in Los Angeles. He at once began practicing law with his father. He assisted his father for some years in law reporting, the elder Gear being a recognized authority on text law book writing. "Landlord and Tenant," is one of his best works.

In 1894, George Gear went to Guatemala where he remained two years, after which he came to Honolulu and located. He was recognized as one of the ablest attorneys of the Territory and has participated in some of the most important island litigation. He was appointed Judge of the first circuit by President McKinley succeeding R. D. Sullivan. Upon the expiration of his term on March 3, 1905, Judge Gear resumed private practice. One of his most notable legal triumphs was his successful defence of Commander Lucien Young, U. S. N., on the occasion of the court martial of Young, over the fatal explosion on the gunboat Bennington at San Diego.

Gear had an especially keen, alert legal mind. One of his strongest points was the discovery of flaws in the statutes and in this way, his influence helped most materially, to cause needed revisions of our laws. A history of the points raised by him while on the bench and while practicing law, would be a valuable work in showing the application of the American laws here and their points of variance with the former Hawaiian statutes.

Gear was a member of the Republican party and had aided that organization in many ways, both as an orator and an adviser, but he declined to accept any nomination. As a speaker he was very witty.

Gear was a man of much personal charm. He was affable and companionable to an unusual degree. His friends, he numbered not only among those whom he had personally aided but among the men who had been his opponents, politically as well as professionally. The expressions of sorrow over his death have been universal.

Judge Gear was for many years a member of the Masonic order and held the thirty-second degree. He was a member of the Scottish Rite and also of the Mystic Shrine. He also was a charter member of the local lodge of Elks and a member of the Knights of Pythias. Judge Gear left the following relatives, his widow, Mrs. George D. Gear, of this city; two brothers, A.

V. Gear of this city and Louis Gear of Oakland; his sister, Mrs. Emily Spencer of Granville, Ohio, and his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gear of San Francisco.

Last night delegations from the Masons, Knights of Pythias and Elks held a watch over the remains of their former member at the undertaking parlors of H. H. Williams on Fort street. The remains can be viewed by friends of the late jurist after 2 o'clock this afternoon at Williams' undertaking parlors. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. Services will also be held at the Nuuanu cemetery. The remains will be incinerated.

Foreign News

By Cable

GOVERNOR TAKES A HAND.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Governor Gillett has had a conference with Mayor Schmitz, Cornelius and Calhoun, and given them to understand that if peace is not preserved he will call out the militia. Another attempt will be made to operate the street cars today.

ROOSEVELT DINES GEN. KUROKI.
WASHINGTON, May 12.—President Roosevelt has given a dinner to General Kuroki of Japan.

SHIP WRECKED AT ASTORIA.
ASTORIA, May 12.—The Whangho is probably wrecked on the bar.

AWFUL FATE OF SHRINERS.
LOS ANGELES, May 12.—By the wreck of the Shriners' special train near Honda twenty-five were killed and twenty injured.

TRAIN WRECK SERIOUS.
LOS ANGELES, May 13.—There are thirty-one victims of the Shriners' train wreck.

NO HAWAIIANS IN WRECK.
LOS ANGELES, May 12.—There were no Hawaiians in the train wreck.

FIRST SETBACK FOR HUGHES.
NEW YORK, May 12.—The Republican Central Committee has defeated Odell's resolution endorsing Governor Hughes for President.

CARS OPERATING.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Fifty cars were operated yesterday. Everything was quiet. The Labor Council has declared a boycott.

MEXICAN MINE DISASTER.
CITY OF MEXICO, May 12.—Ninety have been killed in a mine accident at Durango.

ANTI-PATHY TO CARLISTS.
MADRID, May 12.—A mob has wrecked the Carlist Club.

TURKEY AND JAPAN.
CONSTANTINOPLE, May 12.—Negotiations for having a Japanese Ambassador here are checked. Turkey is unwilling to concede to Japan the privileges held by European powers.

HEIR TO THE SPANISH THRONE.
MADRID, May 12.—The infant crown prince has been named Alfonso Eduardo.

NEW YORK STRIKE MAY SPREAD.
NEW YORK, May 12.—It is threatened to extend the longshoremen's strike to Boston and Philadelphia.

VENERABLE ACTRESS MARRIES.
LONDON, May 12.—Ellen Terry has married James Crew, an American actor.

The bride is over 58 years of age, having been born February 27, 1848. She was formerly Mrs. E. A. Wardell. Her first appearance was under Mrs. Chas. Kean and she played with Sir Henry Irving constantly for many years until his death in 1905.

AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Professor Scott, on Tuesday morning, gave to the pupils of the High School an interesting spelling test. The words given were those which were found to be mis-spelled most often on Harvard examinations. On correction the result was found to be an average 88 per cent for the four classes. Following is a list of the words: chief, decision, different, describe, disappeared, disappoint, exaggerate, finally, goddess, grammar, independent, infinite, insistent, intellectual, led, literary, pamphlet, possess, prejudice, privilege, profession, receive, rhythm, sentence, separate, surprise, villain.

Miss Lydia Wagner a member of the Junior class, has been working in the office of the Board of Education this week. Miss Wagner was in the commercial department and is a good example of the stenographers the High School turns out.

Several new instruments have been installed in the Science Department which will be a great aid in the different branches of the department. Among the instruments are a Bram Improved Wireless Telegraph Outfit complete; and electrolysis apparatus and a set of Madgeburg Hemispheres. These instruments are all of high grade many of them being imported from Germany. A Winthaus machine with 50 plates and a six cell plunger battery are expected soon.

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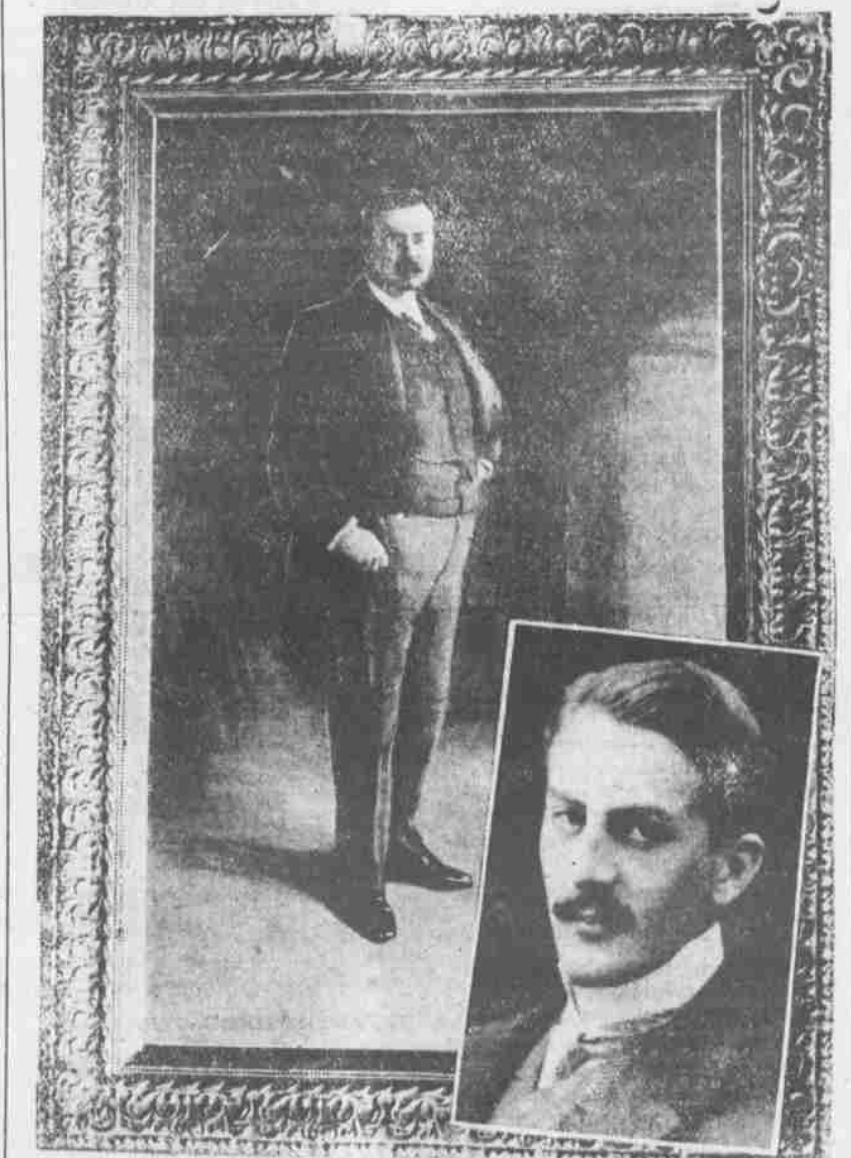
The local Federal authorities made a mistaken identification Friday afternoon upon the arrival of the S. S. Nippon Maru from the Orient. They mistook J. McAnerney, a wealthy New York man, for R. W. Douglas, the suspected embezzler who is wanted at Manila. But Douglas has blue eyes while McAnerney has brown eyes, so the New Yorker was soon relieved from his dilemma.

HELD TO ANSWER.

U. S. Commissioner Hatch Saturday held Inoshita to answer to the next term of the U. S. District Court, to answer to the charge of having caused a Japanese to fraudulently sign a postal money order and to having fraudulently misrepresented the man to have been K. Imoto when he was, in fact, some one else. Bail was fixed at \$1,500.

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Calls Roosevelt A Tornado



Baron Robert de Doblhoff, who has painted the portrait of the strenuous President of the United States which is destined to hang on the walls of the Temple of Peace at The Hague, is a distinguished Austrian artist. He was commissioned to do this work by the Countess Brodinsky and the Paris Society of Peace Friends, joint donors of the portrait. Baron de Doblhoff said after painting the portrait:

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